

## 5.14F4 -- GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

### Graduating Class of 2009

Beginning with the graduating class of 2009, the Van Buren School District will offer three diplomas. They will include General Diploma, College Prep Diploma, College Prep Diploma with Honors.

Department	General Diploma	College Prep Diploma	College Prep Honors
<b>Math</b>	(4) Algebra Geometry 2 additional units	(5) Algebra Geometry Algebra 2 & Algebra 3 Trig/PreCal	(5) Algebra Geometry Algebra 2 & Algebra 3 Trig/PreCal
<b>Science</b>	(3) Physical Science Biology Science elective	(3) Physical Science Biology Chemistry or Physics	(3) Physical Science Biology Chemistry or Physics
<b>English</b>	(4) English 9,10,11,12	(4) English 9,10,11,12	(4) English 9,10,11,12
<b>Social Studies</b>	(3) Civics World History US History	(3) Civics World History US History	(3) Civics World History US History
<b>Phys Ed</b>	(.5) PE or Athletics or ROTC	(.5) PE or Athletics or ROTC	(.5) PE or Athletics or ROTC
<b>Health</b>	(.5) Health	(.5) Health	(.5) Health
<b>Oral Comm</b>	(.5) Speech	(.5) Speech	(.5) Speech
<b>Technology</b>			
<b>Fine Arts</b>	(.5) Choir, Band, or Art	(.5) Choir, Band, or Art	(.5) Choir, Band, or Art
<b>Foreign Language</b>	0	2 same language	2 same language
<b>Electives</b>	7	5	5
<b>Total</b>	24	24	24
<b>GPA</b>		3.0 GPA at the conclusion of seven semesters	3.50 at the conclusion of seven semesters
<b>Pre-AP/AP</b>	Not required		2 units of Pre-AP or AP in each core area for a total of 8. 6 must be taken at VBHS.

\*\*\* VBSD may require graduations above the ADE requirements. Other applicable credits may be substituted where approved as appropriate

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